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COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.

Dakota City, Neb., March 21, 1916.
The board of county commissioners of Dakota county, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment. Members present: Thomas Long, chairman; A. Ira Davis, Oliver W. Fisher, Sidney E. Frum, county attorney and Geo. Wilkins, county clerk.
When the following proceedings were had to wit:
Board opens bids for bridge contracts and on consideration of the same awards contract for the construction of bridges and for the furnishing of material, for the ensuing year, commencing March 15, 1916, to Beatty Contracting company of Blair, Nebraska, at the rate of \$1.75 per line in the county clerk's office.
Board strikes poll tax of Ray Zulau of a Thomas B. Murray, minors, Ray Hall, no resident, Chris Randus and J. E. Rusa, assessed twice, and L. D. Hicks, Fred Wilke and Fred Antsen, over 50 years of age at the time of assessment.
Board approves bond of George Henry for over 50 years of age at the time of assessment.
Board redeems lot 30, block 38, Joy Place, and orders clerk to write warrant for county general fund for \$1.75 to J. S. Bacon, county treasurer.
Board orders clerk to write warrant for \$500 on county general fund for suit No. 2048 entitled Martin Holmberg vs. Dakota County. Board orders extension of mother's pension to Cora Connolly, as per order of county court, for the period of three months, commencing March 1, 1916.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas the following described property, situated in the village of Jackson, Dakota county, Nebraska, to-wit: "Commencing at the northeast corner of the intersection of Elk Creek and John streets, thence running east, 162 feet, thence running north, 80 feet, thence running west, 162 feet, thence running south, 80 feet, to the place of beginning," was deeded by the owner thereof, to St. Patrick's Catholic church, by warranty deed, dated April 10th, 1915, and recorded in deed record "25," and page 177, and
Whereas, said real estate has, since the date of said deed, been used by said St. Patrick's church, for church purposes, and is now owned and controlled by said St. Patrick's Catholic church, and
Whereas, said property was assessed by the proper authorities for school, state, county and village taxes for the years 1914 and 1915:
Therefore, be it resolved by the board of county commissioners of Dakota county, Nebraska, that the taxes for the years 1914 and 1915, upon said real estate be stricken from the tax list, and that said real estate be stricken from the tax list as taxable property, so long as the same shall be owned and used for church purposes, by said St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1916.
T. W. Long, Chairman.
Chairman of Board of County Commissioners.
Board adjourned to meet Monday, March 27, 1916.
George Wilkins, clerk

Local Items

The Herald—1 year, \$1.
Brasfield for painting and paper-hanging. Phone 20.
James Barry of Jackson, transacted business here Friday.
Preserve and beautify your home with Mound City Paint and Varnish. For sale at Dakota City Pharmacy.
Sneak thieves entered W. L. Ross' garage Tuesday and stole several used auto tires. He was using his Ford or they probably have taken it, too.
George Sheibley came down from Hot Springs, S. D., last week, where he had spent the winter at the government sanitarium, and will spend a few months in this locality.
Tom Fairweather, former baseball manager of the Sioux City team, was elected on the Des Moines council Monday by a 10,000 majority. He represented the "wets."
SEEDS—Alfalfa, Timothy, Sweet Clover, Red Clover, Alsike, Cane seed, Millet, Brome grass, Blue grass, Seed corn or anything else in the seed line at Campbell's Seed House, Sewer, Nebr.
The mandamus case brought by the South Sioux City "wets" to compel the city council to submit the question of license or no license, is being heard before Judge Graves as we go to press.
You probably noticed that The Herald was the only paper in the county that gave the complete list of candidates filing for county office last week? Again we say, The Herald for news when it is news.
Mrs. Margaret Adams, of Glentana, Mont., who had been down on a couple of months' visit with her brother, Joe Foye, in Sioux City, returned Tuesday to Montana, where her two sons, Chas. and Harry, and daughter, Mrs. Max Easton, reside.
S. A. Bridenbaugh marketed a bunch of fat cattle in Sioux City Tuesday that brought him \$9.15 per hundred. The steers were put in the feed yard at \$5.00 per hundred, which nets him a handsome profit, besides a net gain of 330 pounds to the head.
John Amster, aged 67, for forty years a Sioux City cigar manufacturer, died last Tuesday at Hot Springs, Ark., of pneumonia. He was a bachelor, and an active sportsman. He maintained a cottage at Crystal lake, near the Wm. Fulton place, where he spent the summer months.
The True Blues paid a surprise visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Linton on Tuesday evening to thank Mrs. Linton for her kindness in training them for the play which was given last Friday. They went well armed with ice cream, cake, etc., and with the intention of having a good time. "Where there's a will, there's a way." Enough said! The play netted the girls \$27 toward the pulpit fund.

County Agent's Field Notes.

BY O. H. BECKHOFF.

In writing these notes from time to time I do not wish to assume the attitude of a person giving advice to the farmers, for I recognize the farmer of average intelligence knows the principles of farming and the general conditions on the farm better than I; yet there are many things which careful study and investigation has brought out that he has not had the opportunity of knowing which might be of value to him were his attention called to them. It is only with these thoughts in mind that these suggestions are given through the papers now and then.
In the notes of a week ago and the letter of this week your attention was called to the seed corn and the oats situation and you as farmers of this community are broad minded enough to make your own deductions from them.
A few notes this week, anent potato growing may not interest all or contain many things new but to some may be of value.
Experiment stations have shown that from the standpoint of yields one of the most important factors in potato growing lies in the selection of the seed. In some instances culls and selected seed from the same bins have shown a difference of fifty bushels per acre at harvesting time.
Good, clean, healthy potatoes of about four ounces in size and cut to two or three eyes to the seed piece, have met with the most favorable results.
If the pieces are very large or contain a number of eyes too many shoots will be sent up, which, if the soil is not very fertile, will set more small potatoes than can grow out, consequently there will be a high percentage of culls.
Potatoes naturally like open, loamy soil, and in this section if they could follow alfalfa, clover, or a crop of rye plowed under it would make a more favorable seed bed. Heavy manuring is conducive to high yields but create a condition favorable to the production of scab. Before planting it is well to treat the seed, preferably before they are cut, with formaldehyde or corrosive sublimate for the prevention of scab.
Formalin treatment: One pint of formalin (40% strength) to 30 gallons of water. Soak for two hours in this solution.
Corrosive sublimate treatment: Two ounces of corrosive sublimate to 16 gallons of water. Soak the potatoes in this for about two hours.
The corrosive sublimate is the most effective but is highly poisonous and care must be used in its application.
Those who have a plot of sufficient size would do well to spray to control insects and early blight. A good many people have asked me concerning the mulching with straw. This is a very effective way of handling the seed plot as it tends to prevent the seed from running out.
I should be glad to hear from some parties who will plant a few acres of potatoes and should be glad to arrange some demonstrations on the control of diseases.

M. E. Church Notes.

Services on Sunday as follows:
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
We have arrived at a time of great importance in our church year. On Sunday we begin our series of special meetings. The Pastor will preach Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. On Wednesday the Rev. William Kilburn, of Allen, will come and be with us for two weeks.
We are calling our meetings an "Easter Campaign." There is not a more appropriate day in the christian calendar than Easter Sunday in which to unite with Christ's church. We hope that day we shall receive many into communion with us.
It must not be supposed that we have arbitrarily set aside three weeks in which to do all our evangelistic work. We have been quietly sowing the seed for eighteen months, and there are indications that in many instances the harvest is at hand. It is not an unprepared revival—although we expect many conversions in unexpected places—it is the reaping following the sowing and the waiting.
The Pastor expects that every member will cooperate to the extent of their ability. Attend regularly. Bring others. Help the singing. Be ready to assist in any way.
Subjects of Sunday's sermons: At 11 a. m., "Conversion." At 8 p. m., "A Man Who Lost His Opportunity."
F. J. AUOOCK, Pastor.
GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH AT SALEM
REV. LUDWIG FRANK, Pastor.
We feel very, very sorry for last Sunday. Only a few teams were before the church. Across the road, around the English church, we numbered more than twenty teams and autos. Why so? The minister drove Saturday in storm and snow with his team, from Ponca, 16 miles, and our German friends had not courage to drive three or four miles. And Sunday morning was so clear and bright that every body could come. And this in our Passions time!
The German Ladies Mission society will meet Wednesday, the 12th of April, at the residence of Mrs. Henry Biermann, in Brushy Bend. We hope and wish for a strong attendance.

SCHOOL NOTES.

(Submitted by Students.)

Superintendent Rogers, of South Sioux City, and Superintendent Linton, acting as officers of the Dixon-Dakota County Athletic Association, have made the following schedule for the different games to be played before May 20th, the time set for the field meet at Dakota City:
To be played during the week ending March 25, Dakota City at South Sioux City; Ponca at Newcastle.
To be played during the week ending April 1: Homer at Dakota City, South Sioux City at Ponca.
To be played during the week ending April 8: Homer at South Sioux City, Ponca at Dakota City.
To be played during the week ending April 15: Dakota City at Ponca, Ponca at Homer, Dakota City at Newcastle.
To be played during the week ending April 22: Newcastle at Homer, South Sioux City at Newcastle, South Sioux City at Dakota City, Dakota City at Homer.
To be played during the week ending April 29: South Sioux City at Homer, Newcastle at Ponca.
To be played during the week ending May 6: Homer at Ponca, Newcastle at Dakota City, Newcastle at South Sioux City.
To be played during the week ending May 13: Homer at Newcastle, Ponca at South Sioux City.
Each team to meet each team in the association twice.
Participants to arrange the date of the game in the week designated. Visiting team to take the initiative in this matter.
Schools having the highest and second highest in total number of scores won to play for the pennant on field day.
Score of the South Sioux City-Dakota City game played at South Sioux City March 24:
Dakota City: 3 1 2 2 0 0 1 3 x—12
South Sioux: 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0—3



A. M. CHAMBERS

Candidate for the republican nomination for representative from the Thirteenth representative district, comprised of Thurston and Dakota counties. Mr. Chambers served as representative at the last session of the legislature and made a splendid record, on which he stands for reelection. His home is on a farm near Walthill.
For Sale
Full blooded Rose Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, at 50¢ per setting. L. B. Palmer, Hubbard, Nebr.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the race track property, being all lots owned by the Village of Dakota City, in blocks 225 and 226, 233 and 234, 279 and 280, in said Village, will be leased for the year 1916, to the highest responsible bidder for cash. Said Village reserves the right to use the race track upon said premises at any and all times. Sealed bids will be received for the lease of said property, until Tuesday, April 4th, 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

For Sale

50 bushels of Early Ohio seed potatoes.
100 bushels of seed oats.
4 tons of good alfalfa hay, third cutting.
STEPHEN JOYCE,
24 miles west of Dakota City, Neb.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER—SECOND DISTRICT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for commissioner from the second district, subject to the will of the republican voters, at the primaries, April 18th.
ROY ARMOUR.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by Geo. Wilkins, clerk of the district court, Dakota county, Nebraska, on a decree of foreclosure wherein Alice K. Stinson is plaintiff and Agnes McCormick, Margaret A. McCormick, John K. Graft, and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section fifteen (15), township twenty-nine (29), range seven (7), in Dakota county, Nebraska, are defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the south front door of the court house in Dakota City, in said county, on the 8th day of May, 1916, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property to satisfy a judgment in the sum of \$114.78, and costs aggregating \$10.40, and accruing costs, with interest as per decree attached to order of sale, to-wit:
Southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section fifteen (15), township twenty-nine (29), range seven (7), in Dakota county, Nebraska.
Dated this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1916.
GEORGE CALIN,
Sheriff of Dakota county, Nebraska.

STINSON'S

Specials for Saturday, Apr. 1

For this Day Only

4 cans 10c salmon.....	30c
1 can 15c pampkin.....	10c
3 cans peas, corn or kraut.....	25c
1 can 20c Heinz mince meat.....	17c
2 large cans harvest peaches.....	25c
2 cans Hart baked beans and tomato sauce.....	23c
1 25c package rolled oats.....	20c
1 qt bottle ammonia.....	23c
1 lb ginger snaps, good.....	8c
Childrens' dresses, 50c to 60c, for.....	45c
Childrens' dresses 70c, for.....	60c
Childrens' dresses \$1.00, for.....	89c
Ladies' \$1.50 dresses.....	\$1.25
Ladies' \$1.00 dresses.....	89c

Stinson's

Dakota City,

Nebraska

320 Acres at AUCTION

To Be Sold Without Reserve

I will sell 320 acres lying 12 miles from Sioux City, 4 miles from Jackson, 7 miles northwest of Homer and 14 miles east of Hubbard. Commencing at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on the above described premises.

Wednesday, April 5, 1916

Description of Property

This land is located in Section 24, township 28, Range 7 E., in Dakota County, Nebraska, and will be sold in 3 separate tracts.
1st.—169 acres, well improved, improvements consisting of 8 room house; 2 barns, will hold 16 head of stock; double corn crib, 30x30; garage; hen house; hog sheds and wind mill; good well; spring; and is well fenced; 20 acres fenced hog tight; 70 acres in alfalfa, 50 acres in wheat; balance in pasture. Terms—\$5,000.00 cash, balance at 6 per cent.
2nd.—80 acres, consists of 35 acres choice bottom land; 6 acres alfalfa; balance rolling pasture land. Terms—\$1,500.00 cash, balance at 6 per cent.
3rd.—80 acres, consists of 40 acres alfalfa; 30 acres plow land, balance in pasture. Terms—\$2,500.00 cash, balance at 6 per cent.
\$1,000.00 Cash on Day of Sale. This land is under a high state of cultivation. Soil consists of black loam with a deep clay subsoil.
We will meet all buyers arriving at Hubbard, Jackson and Homer, in the morning on day of sale.

M. T. BEACOM

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Dakota City, Nebr.